

Requests for Michael Burke:

Q.DPS.GMP.3-17: On page 14 of Mr. Burke's prefiled rebuttal testimony, he states that "GMP is required to propose economically feasible measures on our ten least reliable circuits each year."

- a. Please provide GMP's definition of "economically feasible."**
- b. Please confirm what year this "requirement" came into effect; and**
- c. provide GMP's proposals for economically feasible measures on its ten least reliable circuits in each year since the "requirement" has been in effect. If GMP has not proposed economically feasible investments to address its ten least reliable circuits in each year since the "requirement" came into effect, then please explain why not.**

A.DPS.GMP.3-17:

- a.** Please refer to GMP's response to Q.DPS.GMP.1-132(c).
- b.** The referenced provision has been a longstanding component of GMP's SQRP, dating back prior to GMP's merger with CVPS in PUC Docket No. 7770 when GMP and CVPS's SQRP's were combined. The provision appears to have originated with the first iterations of GMP's and CVPS's SQRP's which were developed around 2001-03. See e.g. Attachment DPS.GMP.3-17.b (CVPS 2001 SQRP).
- c. **Objections 1, 3, 5.**** This request covers an undetermined time period of approximately 25 years and is overbroad, disproportionate, and unduly burdensome in that it calls for information related to a significant portion of GMP's field operations over that period. It also calls for information previously produced in reports and filings with the PUC available to the Department. Without waiver of these objections, GMP responds as follows.

Consistent with the requirements of the SQRP, GMP has for over two decades implemented a range of measures focused on the ranked list of worst performing distribution circuits, including distribution upgrades, improvements to protective devices, and targeted hot spot tree trimming. Please refer to GMP's annual 4.900 reports which detail these actions taken to address these least reliable circuits. Example reports are included as Attachments DPS.GMP.3-17.c.1 and DPS.GMP.c.2. More recently as the severity and frequency of storms increased and outpaced our ability to address these areas through day to day reliability work, GMP proposed accelerated resiliency work through the Climate Plan, Case No. 20-0276, Zero

Outages Initiative, Case No. 23-3501, and in this coordinated MYRP/FY27 proceeding.

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